

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 155

By Gardenhire

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend AIM Center on the occasion of its thirtieth anniversary.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly take great pleasure in recognizing those organizations that are pillars in their communities, providing vital services that benefit the citizens of this State; and

WHEREAS, one such organization is AIM Center, which has been helping adults in Chattanooga lead fulfilling and productive lives while successfully managing their mental health since its founding in 1989; and

WHEREAS, AIM Center offers employment, education, housing, socialization, and wellness opportunities for adults living with serious mental illness; it is the only psychosocial rehabilitation facility accredited by Clubhouse International and licensed by the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, using the Clubhouse model of psychosocial rehabilitation, AIM Center empowers members to develop relationships and create individualized plans for recovery while working side-by-side with other members and staff to accomplish their work; and

WHEREAS, a private, nonprofit organization, AIM Center recognizes that recovery is a lifelong process and adheres to the philosophy, "Once a member, always a member"; and

WHEREAS, AIM Center has played an invaluable role in the lives of members and their families, and it is appropriate that we recognize this stalwart organization on this momentous occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we honor and commend AIM Center on the occasion of its thirtieth anniversary and extend our best wishes for much future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.